2021 WEEKEND RECRUIT ACADEMY

298 Hours

This course will prepare the entry-level firefighter to meet Washington State certifications for Fire Fighter I and Hazardous Materials Awareness/Operations.

Prerequisites & Required Items:

- The Recruit has completed and passed a physical examination conducted by a licensed medical doctor using either:
 - National Fire Protection Association Standard 1582, and/or
 - o The medical standards of your organization
- A physician or other licensed health care professional has approved the Recruit to work using a selfcontained breathing apparatus
- The Recruit has undergone a Respirator Face Piece fit test that meets the requirements of WAC 196-262-07150
- The Recruit is 18 years of age at the start of class
- The Recruit has medical insurance coverage
- The Recruit has valid CPR and First Aid certifications
- The Recruit has passed your fire department's physical agility test or has completed a Comprehensive Physical Assessment Test (CPAT) within one year
- The Recruit has a valid driver's license
- The Recruit is affiliated with a Fire Department

REFERENCE TEXT: IFSTA Essentials of Fire Fighting, 7th Edition (Provided at Orientation)

IFSTA Hazardous Materials for First Responders, 5th Edition (Provided at Orientation)

CLASS DATES: Orientation, Firefighter I, Hazmat & Graduation
RA 21-04

March 27 July 11, 2021 **CANCELLED**

RA 21-05 August 13 – November 7, 2021

CLASS TIME: Friday 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm

Saturday 6:00 am – 6:00 pm Sunday 6:00 am – 6:00 pm

CLASS SIZE: Class will be limited to 18 candidates

LOCATION: Washington State Fire Training Academy

50810 SE Grouse Ridge Road

North Bend, Washington 98045-1273

COST: Fire Fighter I

Department Sponsored

Tuition & Housing: \$3283.00 Food Service: \$695.00

* Please note pricing above reflects 2021 rate increase.

REGISTRATIONS: E-mail registration attached to <u>FTARegister@wsp.wa.gov</u> or fax registration form to

(425) 888-3060. For more information or any questions please e-mail

FTARegister@wsp.wa.gov or call (425) 453-3000.

CANCELLATIONS: The Fire Training Academy must be notified by e-mail at FTARegister@wsp.wa.gov or

via fax at 425-888-3060. Notification must be received five (5) working days prior to

the scheduled start date of the Academy or the full tuition cost will be assessed.

Fire departments may be eligible for financial reimbursement from the Basic Firefighter Training Program. For more information call the Fire Protection Bureau (360) 596-3928.

Members of the Joint Apprenticeship Training Program may also be eligible for tuition assistance. For more information call Mr. Dave Myers (253) 946-7331.

For Veteran Administration (VA) approved reimbursement please contact Jackie Reinberg at 425-453-3000 Ext 100. **NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME**